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Applicant submits this Statement in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §1.97-1.98. This statement is filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c), before the mailing date of either a final action under 37 C.F.R. §1.113 or a notice of allowance under 37 C.F.R. §1.311.

A copy of each of the following references, together with a listing on Form PTO/SB/42 is submitted herewith.

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Applicant respectfully solicits the Examiner's consideration of the cited references and entry thereof into the record of this application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees due under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 or §1.17 during the pendency of the present application to Deposit Account No. 06-1553.

Respectfully submitted,



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